

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

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Hope Star



Arkansas Weather

Arkansas — Partly cloudy with showers tonight. Tomorrow, scattered showers in the north, west section tonight. All sections Tuesday. High today low 60° to 70° tonight low 50°.

Experiment Station report for 24-hour period ending at 8 a. m. Monday. High 80, Low 60.

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We call it Memorial day because it is dedicated to those who fought and died for America.

And if wars and rumors of war seem to be coming at us more frequently in this generation than in the past it might be wise to heed a small paragraph that cropped up in press dispatches from Hanoi last week.

Hanoi, as you know, is the principal city of the Red River Delta district of Indo-China, and the Communist rebels are threatening to drive out the French there. The paragraph that impressed us in one of last week's dispatches stated that the native population was taking the Frenchmen's crisis very calmly. It was, the dispatch said, a matter of complete indifference to the Indo-Chinese whether the French succeeded in staying or the Vietnamese rebels captured the city—and the rest of the country.

Let this be, this Memorial day, a warning to Americans to beware of making war when the meaning is unclear—because if the meaning is unclear the outcome will be doubtful.

Like ourselves the French have a republic. France, in fact, is the very cradle of what is known as modern democracy. And yet France has failed completely to spell out what democracy means to the native peoples of Indo-China. Otherwise there would not be this deadly apathy as to which side finally wins the war now raging in that unhappy land.

And like the French we ourselves are having trouble explaining the slogans of Western democracy in the Orient. Although we speak with what we imagine to be the tongue of the liberator somehow the natives are translating it as the voice of the conqueror.

Free-spoken America has something to learn in dealing with a devious and deceitful world, we have found; and war, therefore, is something to weigh more carefully than ever before.

For we have to think of the living and their future. That's why brave men died in past wars. Only today have we learned the true measure of America's sacrifice.

Tornadoes Leave Four Persons Dead

NORFOLK, Neb. (AP) — Tornadoes cut a swath across northeast Nebraska last night killing four children and injuring at least 18 other persons.

The Weather Bureau said there were two confirmed tornado reports and three unconfirmed reports in a 30-mile path. Damage to telephone lines made checks in the area difficult.

The list of dead was revised downward this morning when hospital attendants accounted for all members of the Ben Kohl family. Earlier it had been reported four Kohl children were killed and two children and the parents injured. Hospital attendants said when the injured revived sufficiently to talk they said there were only four children in the family.

The dead:
Nell Klawonn, 8.
Cindy Klawonn, 4.
George Kohl, about 6.
Robert Kohl, about 6.

All the deaths and injuries were in an area about two miles wide and four miles long some 10 miles southeast of Norfolk. At least seven farms were known to have been hit. The area is about 130 miles northwest of Omaha.

Torrential rains ranging up to 3½ inches in Pierce, some 20 miles north of the tornado area, made side roads impassable and the state Safety Patrol survey of the toll was closed up.

Today Is Deadliest in Accident Toll

By The Associated Press

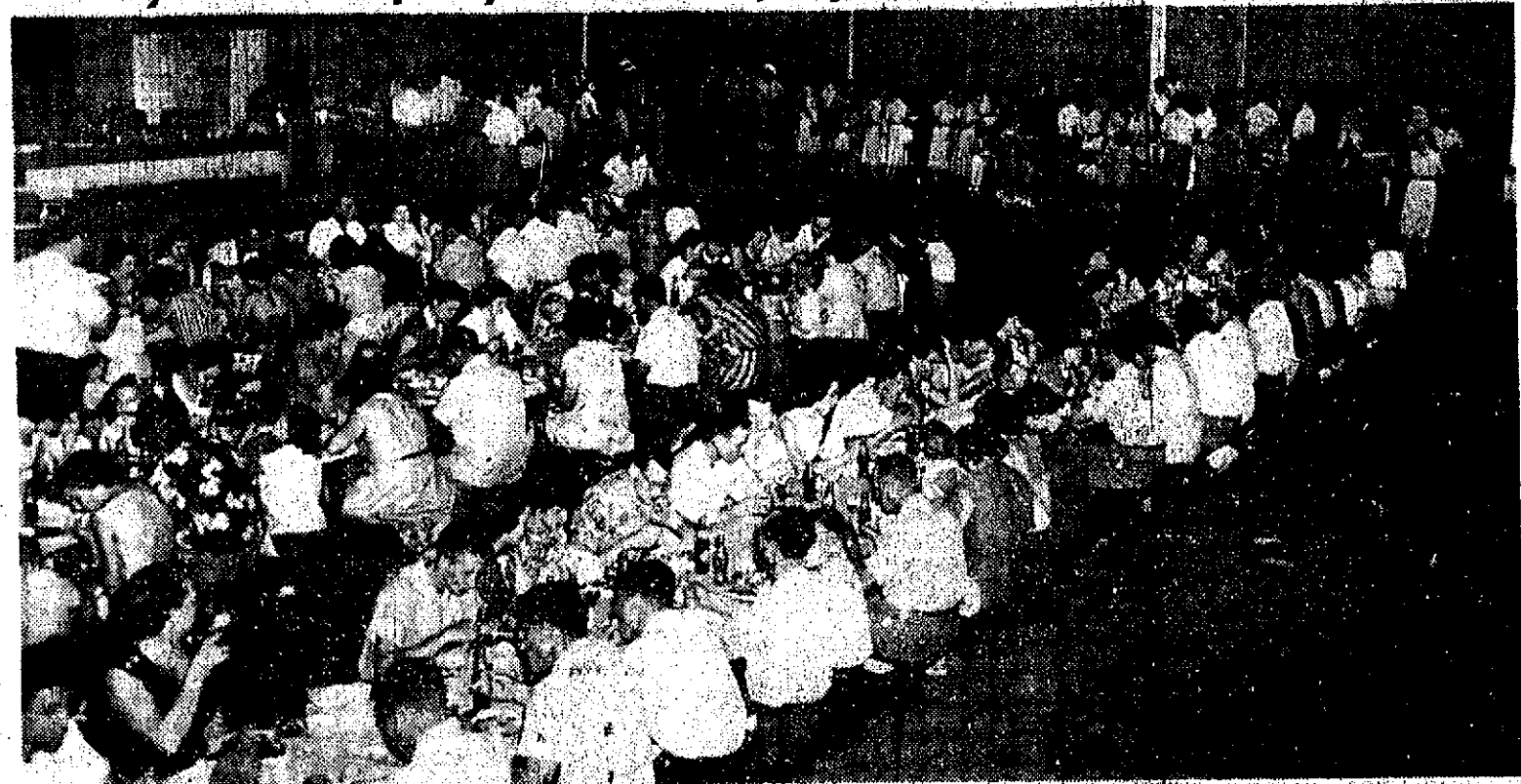
Traffic fatalities during the Memorial Day weekend mounted to 258 Monday as travel over the holiday period reached a peak.

Deaths on the nation's roads ran well ahead of this year's daily average of 88. But whether a new Memorial Day record would be set depended on the fatalities during the homeward trek from beaches, ball parks, picnic outings and other activities.

Besides the traffic toll, which extended from 6 p. m. Friday, until midmorning on Monday, 51 persons were drowned and 41 died from other causes.

Among the miscellaneous deaths were counted those of four children who died in tornadoes in Nebraska. There seemed little doubt that the holiday weekend toll would surpass figures compiled by the Associated Press for comparative purpose. Over a 78-hour period, 6 p. m. May 14 to midnight May 17, fatalities were: traffic 248, drownings 50, miscellaneous 60, total 358.

Sunray Oil Company Holds Employee Picnic in Fair Park



Sunray Oil Company last week held its annual company picnic for employees and their families at Hope's Fair Park. The top photo shows a part of some 600 at lunch in the Third District Livestock Shows huge coliseum. During the day the group enjoyed the Park's spacious playground, swimming pool and other facilities. The bottom photo shows officials of the company just prior to announcement of many awards to employees. From left to right: Fred McDaniel, Midway, production superintendent of the Tri-State District; John H. Douma, Tulsa, manager of engineering department; Forney Hutchinson, Tulsa, manager of industrial relations; Alvin Summers, Tulsa, safety director; C. J. Kerwin, Tulsa, superintendent of production; R. E. Foss, Tulsa, vice-president of Sunray Oil Corp.; E. S. Mills, Tulsa, manager of gas-gasoline division; R. B. Chesney, Benton, La., manager of gas-gasoline division of the Tri-State district.

Frank Van Ness Succumbs in Local Hospital

Frank Van Ness, aged 87, succumbed in a local hospital early Monday morning.

He is survived by five daughters, Mrs. E. P. O'Neal and Mrs. H. E. Porter of Hope; Mrs. S. D. Caroway of Greenville, Miss.; Mrs. R. D. Harrison of Dermott, Miss.; Mrs. T. F. Flowers of Greenwood, Miss.

Funeral services will be held at the First Baptist Church of Eudora, Ark., at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Chancery Court Meets Tuesday

The regular monthly session of Hempstead Chancery Court will convene on Tuesday, June 1st, with James H. Pilkinton of Hope presiding.

People Always Remember the Dead on Memorial Day, Living Should Be Remembered Also

By HAL BOYLE

HOMETOWN U. S. A. (P) "People always remember the dead on Memorial Day," said Trellis Peebles, "but they forget the living."

"What do you mean?" asked her husband, Wilbur.

"Well, I was thinking of Elsie Smight. She must be lonely today. It's been nearly ten years since Charlie was killed in Germany."

Elsie and Charlie had been close friends of the Peebles. But after her husband's death, Elsie and her infant son, Junior, had moved to a less expensive apartment on the other side of town, and the Peebles saw less of her with the passing years.

"Why, we haven't seen Elsie in a coon's age," said Wilbur. "She's just drifted out of our lives."

74 Local 4-H Club Boys Will Go on Two-Day Forestry, Game Conservation Camp This Week

Seventy-four 4-H Club boys go to the pine woods Tuesday morning for a two-day Forestry and Game Conservation Camp. The group leave the Hope city hall at 9:00 o'clock Tuesday morning and return about five o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

To create a better appreciation of the natural resources of Hempstead county and how to use and conserve them is the purpose of the outing stated county agent Oliver L. Adams, director of the 4-H Club activity.

The 220 acre area of managed pine timber demonstration of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ellis of the Beard's Chapel community about 13 miles northeast of Hope is Camp site and the study area. The immediate camp site for the Camp is in a

thrifty clean pine stand growing in soil that is in a peanut crop in 1941. Mr. Ellis who says "Son, you treat these trees right, because timber will some day become the most valuable crop an upland farmer of our area can grow," will assist with the 4-H Club Camp full time.

The Camp staff includes men well trained to direct youth in the study of game, fish, forestry, soil, water, and human resources plus gun safety, recreation and camp organization. All 4-H Club boys were given an opportunity to take an active part in the conservation activity.

Fish conservation will be taught by George Purvis, assistant Educational Director of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, through demonstrations in identification of fish, casting and pole fishing. Dale Bonds, a co-worker of Mr. Purvis will show trapping and handling muskrat and beaver. Lester Wade, Homer Whitley and Earl Barham will direct a field study of quail and game habits pointing out their food supply. Mr. Bonds will direct a fox hunt using his hounds.

The damage of fire and its control will be demonstrated by District Forester Buster Denton and his assistants of the Arkansas Forestry Commission. Mr. Denton will also demonstrate the use of the compass in the big woods. Studies on native plants and trees will be directed by Extension Forester Harold Howell.

Gun safety will be demonstrated by Charles Gough of the Hope Recreational Department, and Everett Eason of the Safety Division of the Arkansas State Police. In addition the two leaders will give attention to camp safety and simple first aid. Human resources conservation will be directed by Edmund Pendleton, Minister of the First Christian Church of Hope. Mr. Pendleton will also direct camp special games.

Camp food supply will be handled through a field kitchen of Company Guard Infantry. Hope National Guard, through the Administrative Assistant Earl Ray Montgomery

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Disagrees With McCarthy Over Clash With Ike

By JACK BELL

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Monroney D-Okla., an author of the Congressional Reorganization Act, today disputed Sen. McCarthy's claim that law supports the Wisconsin senator in his constitutional clash with the Eisenhower administration over getting secret information from government workers.

Furthermore, Monroney declared in an interview McCarthy has been "usurping" the prerogatives of other congressional committees by invading their fields. There was no immediate response from McCarthy, vacillating over the Memorial Day holiday. But the Wisconsin Republican contended that the congressional act makes him — chairman of the Senate Government Operations Committee and its Permanent Investigations Subcommittee — an "authorized person" to be fed secret data from federal employees.

That was a central point in his argument against the administration's expressed view — obviously aimed at McCarthy that executive branch officials should not disclose classified material to "unauthorized" individuals whenever they are.

The Congressional Reorganization Act, passed in 1946 and known as the "La Follette" — Monroney Act — was designed among other things to revamp the committee and set up and lay out lines of jurisdiction. Monroney was a member of the House at the time.

And Sen. H. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.), saying he was "deeply shocked" by what he called "defiance of the executive in this crisis," declared that "we can not tolerate one-man government."

McCarthy has contended that the organization act gave him, as chairman of the Senate's Permanent Investigations Subcommittee, the job to "investigate graft, corruption, dishonesty, inefficiency in government."

At one point in the hearings he produced a document which Atty. Gen. Brownell ruled contained executive branch security material which Brownell said should not be made public. McCarthy said he got Continued on Page Two

Two Students Die in Wreck

NOEL, Mo. (AP) — An auto accident near here yesterday took the lives of two University of Arkansas students and a third student was injured.

Dead were Nick Norden, 21, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., a senior, and Leon Fields, 18, of Little Rock, a freshman.

Joe Hollenworth, 19-year-old son of Rep. and Mrs. Carroll Hollenworth of Warren, Ark., had a slight concussion. The automobile in which the three were riding struck a bridge abutment.

Bill Vukovich Captures the Speedway Race

By KURT FREUDENTHAL

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (UP) — Grim Bill Vukovich became the third speed demon in Indianapolis speedway history to win the 500-mile race twice in a row.

The 35-year-old Fresno, Cal., leadfoot grabbed the lead for the third time when Jimmy J. Bryan stopped for fuel and three after 149 laps.

Speed records were set for virtually the entire distance as about 150,000 holiday fans watched.

There was no holding Vukovich once he regained the lead. He had his foot down on the throttle after tanking up and changing tires for the second time at 129 laps.

In all, there were half a dozen leaders. Pole-winner Jack McGrath led the first 44 laps and at times traveled 140 miles an hour, but he never regained the lead once he stopped for gas and tires.

There were five mishaps. But none was serious, and no driver was hurt.

Early showers gave way to a blazing sun and the track was dry. Vukovich took the lead at the start. However, he was overtaken with 12 laps to go, and a gusty wind blew across the sprawling track.

Bryan finished second, exactly one lap behind Vukovich. They crossed the line together. McGrath finished third.

TVROH Ruttman, the 1952 winner was fourth after letting Duane Carter drive relief part of the race.

Vukovich took three extra laps to make sure there was no mistake in counting.

Vuk won \$13,650 in lap prizes alone for leading 91 of the 200 laps. He won't know his total winnings until the victory dinner Tuesday night. It takes that long to figure the gate and race effort firms' contributions.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (UP) — But let Bill Vukovich, the defending champion lead a record breaking field at the halfway mark of today's 500-mile auto race.

Final Rites Are Held for Victim of Shooting

Funeral services for Sidney C. Reasoner, aged 46, Hope resident who was shot to death May 23 at Texarkana, were held Sunday at Herndon-Cornelius Funeral Home here.

He is survived by his mother and two sisters of Los Angeles, Calif., and three cousins, Claude Pettit, Mrs. Robert Tallafiero and Mrs. M. D. Downs with whom he made his home.

First degree charge of murder has been filed against Mrs. Thekla Jackson, 41, Texarkana, in connection with the shooting.

Reds Move Step Army Closer to Hanoi

By LOUIS GUILBERT

HANOI, Indochina (UP) — Authorities announced today the Communist subversives moved the bulk of their 40,000-soldier army from Dien Bien Phu to within 42 miles of Hanoi.

French intelligence reports heavy artillery and supply trains of Molotov trucks had arrived at the big Red River town of Hanoi. The where the river's delta fans out into the vital plain rich rice fields and plantations. The whole of the four Red zones which finally overcame the heroic French garrison at Dien Bien Phu with "human wave" assaults, was expected to be concentrated in the Phu Tho within 10 days.

The French high command leaves Red Gen. Vo Nguyen will launch a big offensive on the Delta June 15.

In little more than three weeks the Glap has moved his army into position to strike at Trance and in North Indochina, despite and night bombing of his column along Route 41.

Some elements of the Communist army were halted almost directly south of Phu Tho, near town of Mac Chau, 75 miles from Hanoi, in the Black River valley.

HANOI, Indochina (UP) — French Union troops, planes and artillery attacked Communist Viet Minh advance strategy. Gen. Pham Van Kien bid to stall a rebel drive to the approach.

The French high command the thrust against the Red vanguards were designed to stop up the Communist moves. It can get started.

French and loyal units drove the Red back to the foot of the Khammoua hills slope down toward the town. By capturing stocks of ammunition and food, the French hoped to slow down the advance.

Most of the action took place between the Day River and the Viet Minh. The Viet Minh reported 21, the highway leading to Dien Bien Phu for the delta.

Six thousand French troops reported taking part in the sector operations to keep the line out of adjacent provinces.

Gen. Henri Eugene, Viet French supreme commander, Indochina plans to defend the delta, the real prize of the country high command spokesmen said.

Navy's also intends to organize bases in the delta to plan interpreted to mean unnecessary post will be done in order to lighten the burden through the region.

Local Divorce Case Is Upheld

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) — The Supreme Court today upheld a divorce case.

Virgil G. Smith vs. J. J. Smith, appealed from Washington County Circuit Court, affirmed.

Revenue Commissioner Scurlough vs. W. A. Henderson, Pulaski Circuit Court, affirmed.

Mary E. Karley vs. John Heid, Pulaski Chancery Court, affirmed.

Benjamin Tom Ward vs. Ward, Hempstead Chancery Court, affirmed.

Pearl Hiler, Nordest vs. Brooks Nordest, St. Francis Chancery Court, appeal dismissed.

Ernest Ford and others vs. Martin Greene Chancery Court, affirmed.

Jeanne Grant vs. Walter J. Pulaski Chancery Court, affirmed.

City of Little Rock vs. Judge R. A. Campbell, Circuit Court, affirmed.

Exams to Be Given for Substitute Clerk

The U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals has announced that examinations for substitute clerks will be held in the Hope, Arkansas Office.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from the Post Office at the District Office, Eighth U. S. Circuit Region, Room 204, 1111 North Street, Dallas, Texas.

All Around the Town

By The Star Staff

Four local high school boys are in Little Rock this week attending the annual Boys State conference. They are Rex Easter, Rufus Herndon III, Jimmy Haynes and Jack Keck.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud R. White of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Steele of Magnolia spent last week in College State where they attended the graduation of Steele's son, and Mrs. White's nephew, Tommy Steele, who received his BA in business administration and marketing. He was also commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the U. S. Air Forces.

From Cobden, Illinois Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Musgrove and family write: "To the people in and around Hope, Ark., we, the people of an unfortunate accident which occurred on May 12, some 12 miles east of Hope, wish to thank each and every one for their kind, kind and good deeds which were

deeply appreciated during our stay at Julia Chester Hospital."

John Flowers of 1704 S. Elm St. apparently has a fine crop of tomatoes this year. He brought in a few large green ones last week and one measured 12 inches around. He only has 20 plants out.

Charles E. Powell, son of Mrs. John K. Cowling of Nashville, is scheduled to graduate from the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., on June 4. He is the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Dejaney of Hope.

A season high of 80 degrees was recorded at the Experiment Station yesterday.

The cold drink stand at Municipal Swimming pool was broken in to Saturday night and the boxes of candy were stolen.



E. L. McDonald

Greenville, S. C. The Rev. Erwin L. McDonald, a former pastor of the Washington, Ark., Baptist Church, has resigned as public relations director of Furman University here to become executive secretary of education for the General Association of Baptists in Kentucky, effective July 1.

A native Arkansan, Mr. McDonald is a graduate of Arkansas Polytechnic College and received the A. B. degree from Ouachita College.

He has the B. D. degree from Southern Baptist Seminary Louisville Ky. He was pastor of the Washington Baptist Church for two years in the early 1940's. He was director of public relations at Southern Baptist Seminary for several years before coming to Furman three years ago.

In his new position, Mr. McDonald will direct a program of coordination and promotion for Kentucky Baptist School and colleges. He will have his office in the Baptist Building, 127 East Broadway, Louisville.

Mrs. McDonald is the former Miss Mary Elsie Price, of London, Ark. There are two daughters, Jeannine (Mrs. Sam H. Jones Jr.) of Emory University, Ga; and Judy 13, of the home.

The "Black House" at Guilford, Conn., was painted black by a French refugee when he learned of the execution of Louis XVI.

Disagrees With

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ment from a military officer whom he refused to name. He did not make the name public, but he publicly stated that the two million executive workers to give him secret information, despite a presidential order to the contrary.

"The resulting debate over the constitutionality of the act was a long one. While it may be a matter of the law for federal courts to give information to the executive branch, the chair of the committee said it is not an unperson."

McCarthy has stepped off the committee while he is under investigation himself, but remains chairman of its parent group, the Senate Operations Committee.

McCarthy said the reorganization bill is one of the duties of the government's executive committee, and the operation of the committee is not an unperson. He said the committee is not an unperson.

McCarthy was "usurping" the prerogatives of other committees by going into the executive branch to "investigate" the committee's activities.

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MARY'S LAMB NEVER HAD IT SO GOOD—Sally, the lamb is merry when feeding time comes at the home of her mistress, Mrs. Florence Byers, of Walton Hills, Ohio. She cradles on her mistress' lap and drinks milk from a bottle. Sally is three months old and has been with the Byers since she was 14 days. Recently the family was tempted to sell the lamb, but backed down under the tearful protests from their two daughters.

PRESCOTT NEWS

Intermediate G. A. A. Meet

The Intermediate Girls Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met on Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Clifford Johnson for the regular meeting.

Jane Hines opened the meeting with prayer after which the afternoon was spent studying the Forward Steps.

Refreshments were served to the five members.

Mrs. Marie Chamberlain, Head, B.P.W.

On Tuesday evening members of the Prescott Business and Professional Women's Club met in the home of Mrs. Robbie Wilson with Mrs. Christine McMahon and Miss Fay Loomis associate hostesses.

During the business session conducted by the president, Mrs. Elizabeth Hays, the following officers were elected: Mrs. Marie Chamberlain, president; Miss Jimmie Nicholas, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Della Stewart, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Vernice Hubbard, recording secretary; Mrs. Myra Hamby, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Bess Gist, treasurer.

A film on "U. S. Postal Service" was shown by Mrs. Vernice Hubbard. Miss Fay Loomis showed a film of pictures she made in Santa Fe, New Mexico and also the beautiful gardens that she visited in South Carolina.

The hostesses served a delicious dessert course to the 22 members present.

Andy Bemis Celebrates Birthday

On Tuesday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bemis entertained with a party for the pleasure of their son, Andy, on his eighth birthday anniversary.

After the gifts were opened a variety of games were played with prizes being won by Sammy Cruise, Johnny Ledbetter and Sandra Ward.

The guests were invited into the dining room where they were served from the table overlaid with a pink flowered cloth centered with an arrangement of pink carnations and lavender mums flanked by pink tapers. The plates and napkins also carried out the pink and white color theme. The carnal birthday cake was topped with cowboy and Indian candies.

Favors were snappers. Those present were: Jane Nelson, Kay Shipp, Diana Cashman, Karen Ann Rouse, Caroline Daniel, George Jr. Stegar, Sandra Ward, Cynthia Arnold, Martha Jane Bemis, Bill Justiss, Tommy Hooks, Charles Purdie, Bob Rouse, Cal Johnson, Johnny Johnson, Roger Dale McLeiland, Sammy Cruise, Johnny Ledbetter and Sharon Ashbrook.

Mrs. Jimmy Dundee Honored

The Christian Women's Fellowship complimented Mrs. Jimmy Dundee, a recent bride, with a miscellaneous shower on Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. W. Bradley.

The dining table was centered with an arrangement of mums and spring blossoms were placed at vantage points.

A large white bow and a corsage of sweetpeas marked the honoree's chair.

In the games that were played, prizes were won by Mrs. Sammy Dundee, Mrs. Harry Moore and Mrs. Ole Langston.

Mrs. Dundee received her gifts in a large white decorated box.

Refreshments were served to 36 guests.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Sam Cox honored Mrs. Dundee with a miscellaneous shower.

The party rooms were festive with arrangements of spring flowers.

Miss Patsy Griffin, Mrs. Pearl Cox and Mrs. Lucille Bule were awarded the prizes in the games that were played.

After the honoree opened her lovely gifts, the hostess assisted by Mrs. Hubert Willis served punch and cake to 36 guests.

Order of the Rainbow Installs New Officers

The Prescott Assembly Order of the Rainbow Girls held formal installation Tuesday night at the Masonic Hall. The following officers were installed: Worthy Advisor, Betty Danner; Assoc. Worthy Advisor, Anna Frances Wooley; Charley Claudette Smith; Hope, Judy Gilbert; Faith, Simone Golden; Recorder, Nina Milam; Treasurer, Genevieve King; Chaplain, Margaret Hunter Scott; Drill Leader, Betty Eskine; Love, Sue Keeley; Religion, Betty Wilson; Nature, Freddie Moberg; Immortality, June Gary; Fidelity, Marilyn Lee; Patriotism, Mary Yancey; Service, Joan Bright; Conf. Observer, Patsy Wilson; Outer Observer, Elizabeth Koslosky and Patsy Hasley; Musician, Carolyn Sue Andrews; Choir Director, Rita Warren; Choir, Kay King, June White, Wanda Dail, Betty Jo Langston, Mary Jewelle Herring, Shirley Anderson, Betty Miller, Patsy Griffin, Bobby Stewart, Emily Mitchell and Sarah Thompson.

Mother Advisor, Miss Bertha Gray; Rainbow Dad, Mr. Jack Leslie; Rainbow Sweetheart, David Hanning.

The installing officers were: Installing Officer, Mrs. Edith McClain; Installing Marshal, Mrs. Electa Wells; Installing Chaplain, Mary Jewelle Herring; Installing Recorder, Mrs. Edna Cashman; and Installing Organist, Carolyn Sue Andrews.

The Outgoing Worthy Advisor, Mary Jewelle Herring was presented a gift. As she relinquished her office Anna Frances Wooley sang "You'll Never Know How Much We'll Miss You."

Miss Danner was presented an arm bouquet of red carnations, a gift of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Peachey and son Bobby of El Dorado.

A party followed at the Legion Hut with the Dixieland Rebels furnishing the entertainment.

Vacation Bible School Begins in Local Churches

Vacation Bible Schools are to be conducted by four churches in Prescott during the next few weeks. The Presbyterian Church, Church of the Nazarene, and the First Methodist Church will have classes for all children, ages three through fourteen. The First Baptist Church will conduct classes for the nursery children and through fourteen years of age.

Each vacation school will be teaching Bible study, worship, music and handicraft. The schools will be two weeks in length, five days per week.

The First Methodist and Presbyterian churches are combining their schools and they will be meeting at the First Methodist Church May 31 through June 11. Mrs. W. R. Hambricht will act as superintendent. Supervisors of the departments are as follows:

Beginners — Mrs. P. A. Escarre; Primary — Mrs. Floyd Hubbard; Juniors — Mrs. H. H. McKenzie; Intermediates — Mrs. Warren D. Golden.

The Church of the Nazarene will also conduct its vacation school May 31 through June 11, with classes from 9:00 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. daily. Mrs. E. B. Johnson will serve as superintendent. Teachers of the departments are as follows:

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An invitation is extended to the children of Prescott to attend these schools.

Mrs. H. H. McKenzie Hostess To Wednesday Club

The home of Mrs. H. H. McKenzie was beautifully decorated with arrangements of pansies, nasturtiums, lilies and mixed garden flowers when she was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Allen Gee and the cut prize by Mrs. Frank Halmton Jr.

Mrs. Mark Justiss, Mrs. Jack Harrell, Mrs. D. L. McRae Jr., Mrs. C. D. McSwain and Mrs. Halva to Langston, Mary Jewelle Herring, Shirley Anderson, Betty Miller, Patsy Griffin, Bobby Stewart, Emily Mitchell and Sarah Thompson.

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Mr. Boyle drove to the florist for some flowers, and went on from there to the cemetery. They stopped by a grave that had a small U. S. flag on it.

"Would you like to stay here a little?" asked Wilbur.

"Yes," said Elsie gratefully. "Well, I'll just drive around, and come back in an hour."

When he returned for Elsie, she was silent and composed, but her eyes were red.

After dinner, Wilbur helped Elsie and Trellis Mae to do the dishes, and then they sat around and had a good long talk about old times. Practically every sentence began, "Do you remember when Charlie..." And then they'd laugh.

Looking out the window at Elsie's son, whom was knocking a tin can around with a stick, Wilbur asked:

"How's Junior coming along?" Just then Junior tripped and fell, got up, and in a fit of small boy fury banged the stick against a tree until it broke.

"Well, you know he wasn't born until the month after Charlie went overseas," said Elsie. "And he never got to see his father. But he's getting more like him all the time."

"Remember how Charlie used to fly into a rage over trifles? If he broke a shoelace in the morning, you'd think the world was coming to an end."

"But he could always take the big troubles well. One of his buddies told me after the war that the day Charlie got... he had been in battle for 32 days, and half his company was gone."

"He never even mentioned he was at the front in his letters. He just said that he was safe... and the German countryside was beautiful... and the food was getting better... and... and that he missed me... and couldn't wait to come home and see Junior."

When it was time to leave, Wilbur went into the bedroom, rummaged around in a drawer, and came back with an old worn Boy Scout knife.

"This really belongs to you, Junior," he said. "Your Dad gave it to me the day I won my first class badge."

"Gee, you mean it once was Dad's?" asked Junior, awe-struck. "What kind of a Scout was my Dad?"

"The best," said Wilbur. "At the door Trellis Mae kissed Elsie and told her, 'We have been out of touch with you too long. We can't let that go on.'"

"It's my fault more than it is yours," said Elsie. "But it's been a wonderful day, and I'll remember it for a long time."

Junior was so busy playing with the knife he had to be reminded to say "Thank you."

After Wilbur returned from driving them home, Trellis Mae met him at the door. Wordlessly she kissed him, clung to him for a long moment, and Wilbur knew it was because she was thinking of Elsie who had no husband to hold.

"You old liar," said Trellis Mae, wiping her eyes. "Charlie never gave you that scout knife. You've told me many times your father gave it to you as a present the year you finally got a passing mark in arithmetic."

"Did I?" said Wilbur. "That's just goes to show how you women always get things mixed up. It was history — not arithmetic. I led the class in arithmetic."

Seek Help for Poultry Growers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two Arkansas House members — Reps. Mills and Trimble — are trying to get the Agriculture Department to work out some means of helping Arkansas poultry growers concentrate on quality rather than quantity in their production.

They want the department to station an expert in the area to assist in grading poultry.

The idea is that the poorer grades would be culled out and only the better grades of chickens sent to the market. This would be calculated to command better prices and also keep from oversupplying the market.

Trimble and Mills said the department is studying the matter.

Mrs. Cyr will be remembered as the former Miss Prudence Parker of Prescott.

Miss Julia Logan returned Tuesday from Dallas where she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Steele Moore.

Miss Dorothy Bradford has returned from several weeks stay in Little Rock.

Mrs. Watson White, Jr. and Miss Lillie Butcher were the Tuesday guests of relatives in Ashdown.

Mrs. Clifford Johnson motored to Arkadelphia Wednesday and was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Virginia Johnson who will spend the summer at home after attending Henderson State Teachers College.

Mrs. J. W. Gist and Mrs. J. T. Worthington were Monday visitors in Little Rock.

Mrs. A. V. Babb of Hope spent a part of this week with her daughter, Mrs. L. J. Bryson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Willis have moved into their new home on Gee St.



GOOD HUNTING—Harbinger of a good mushroom-hunting season is this 5½-pound beauty. The big beefsteak mushroom was found by L. B. Wallace, right, and a neighbor, W. E. Culley, on the Wallace farm northeast of Excelsior Springs, Mo. Almost sensational finds of two to 18 gallons per hunting trip have been reported. At sides of scale are two half-pound mushrooms. Shape of these fungi shows why atomic-bomb cloud is called "mushroom-shaped."

Gin Equipment Not Exempt From Use Tax

By LEON HATCH

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court today held that cotton ginning equipment is not exempt from use tax liability.

A 1949 act exempts payment of the tax on "tangible personal property used in processing or manufacturing."

But the court, in a 4-3 decision, said that cotton ginning does not justify the exemption.

The ruling, which reversed Pulaski Circuit Court, grew out of the purchase of some ginning equipment by W. A. Henderson, Jr., of Marvel in Phillips County.

Revenue Commissioner Vance Scurluck attempted to collect \$208.88 from Henderson in use taxes.

The Circuit Court said Henderson did not have to pay the tax but this decision was overruled by the court.

The majority opinion was written by Chief Justice Griffin Smith who was joined by Associate Justices J. S. Holt, George Rose Smith and Paul Ward.

Associate Justices Ed McFaddin, Minor Milwee and Sam Robinson dissented.

The court held that the City of Paragould has authority to require plumbers to pass an examination before engaging in such work in the city.

The unanimous opinion reversed Greene Chancery Court.

W. I. Martin of Black Rock failed to pass the city plumber's examination but contended he was entitled to hold a job as plumber nevertheless because he had a state license.

This contention was upheld by the Chancery Court.

Washington Chancery Court was affirmed in cancelling a \$1,500 note and mortgage on cattle held by Virgil G. Smith against Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Eason on the grounds of usury.

The Supreme Court agreed with the lower court deductions provided for in the note made the payment exceed the constitutional interest limit of 10 per cent.

Benjamin Tom Ward lost his appeal to have a 1951 marriage to Katie Ward declared void from its inception.

Ward, obtained a divorce on the grounds of desertion in 1952 but later sought to have the marriage annulled on the ground that it was induced by fraud.

The Supreme Court said there was nothing to set aside, that the relationship had been dissolved by divorce and that until and unless the divorce was set aside, Ward has no ground for an annulment.

The Supreme Court upheld Pulaski Circuit Judge Arch Campbell in his refusal to allot road tax money as provided for in a 1953 legislative act.

The act would have required Campbell to give the city of Little Rock three quarters of the three mill road tax collections on property within the city boundaries.

The general law is that cities receive half the road tax.

Campbell refused to make the special allotment and was upheld by the Pulaski Circuit Court. Both the Circuit Court and the Supreme Court said the 1953 act was unconstitutional on the grounds that it is local legislation.

Ike Leads Nation in Memorials

WASHINGTON (UP) — President Eisenhower reverently placed a wreath on the tomb of the unknown soldier today to lead the nation in solemn tribute to America's war dead.

The President's act of grateful remembrance on this 85th Memorial Day preceded formal services in the Arlington National Cemetery amphitheater across the Potomac River in Virginia. The amphitheater is only a few steps from where a World War I fighting man "known but to God" lies in honored rest.

A 21-gun salute roared from four cannons over the hillside cemetery as the President's motorcade approached the tomb.

Mr. Eisenhower, in a dark blue suit, approached the grave followed by his three uniformed military aides. He stood sharply at attention for the National Anthem, then stepped forward and placed a wreath of red and white carnations at the foot of the tomb.

After the wreath-laying ceremony, President and Mrs. Eisenhower took seats in the presidential box at the right of the platform in the open air marble amphitheater. Secretary of the Navy Charles S. Thomas in the formal Memorial Day address called for national unity to meet "the world's 'grave crisis'."

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India Willing to Supply Guard Force

By EDWARD M. KERRY

GENEVA (UP) — India has indicated to both the Red and Western delegations to the Far East peace conference that she is willing to supply guardian forces and to accept some kind of responsibility for keeping peace in Indochina, it was reported today.

India's decision was made known during the past week in which the first bit of progress was made to ward ending the fighting in the seven and a half year Indoch

SOCIETY

Phone 7-3431 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

May 31

Hope Band Auxiliary will Monday, May 31 at 8 p. m. in the City Hall, for the final meeting of the school year. Members please change of time and date.

S. C. S. Circle 5 of the First Methodist Church will meet Monday, May 31 at 8 p. m. in the City Hall, for the final meeting of the school year. Members please change of time and date.

members are asked to come prepared to pay their this year's pledge in full.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday, May 31 in the home of Mrs. E. P. O'Neal at 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, June 1
Popular Grove 196 Woodman Circle will hold their monthly business meeting in the W. O. W. Hall Tuesday, June 1. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Jack Brown will present her pupils in a piano recital June 1 Union Church on Tuesday, June 1 at 7:30 p. m. Those appearing on the program will be, Mickey Baber, Joyce Crumpler, Jane and Jean Bright, Carolyn Sue Gilbert, Cecilia Ann Cox, Jean Cook and Judy Weaver. The public is invited.

Mrs. J. C. Carlton will present in recital on Tuesday night at 7:30 her students in her studio on East Third Street. Patrons will be guests for this program.

The VFW Auxiliary will meet at the Hut Tuesday night at 7:30 for a regular business meeting.

Wednesday June 2
The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Mark's Episcopal Church will meet Wednesday, June 2 at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. W. Smith.

The Federation of Garden Clubs will have a Garden party on the lawn of the Experiment Station on Wednesday, June 2 at 3 p. m. with the Wisteria and Gardenia clubs as hostesses. Door prizes will be given and a cash prize for the club having the most members present. If the weather is bad the party will be in the hut at the Experiment Station.

The State Children of the Confederacy convention will be held June 2 and 3 in Hot Springs at the Velda Rose Motor Hotel. Registration will begin at 1 p. m. Wednesday, June 2 and the meeting will adjourn after the business session on Thursday, June 3. Contact Mrs. Harry Whitworth at 7-3593 if you desire to attend.

Saturday June 5
The Katharine Windsor Tap and Acrobatic School will be presented in a review at 8:30 p. m. on Saturday, June 5, at the City Hall. The public is invited.

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Notice

The American Legion Auxiliary meeting scheduled for tonight in the home of Mrs. E. P. O'Neal has been postponed.

Meeting of Pat Cleburne Chapter of the U. D. C. has been postponed until June 10.

Samuel-Mott Engagement Announced

A mid-June wedding is forecast in the announcement made by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney B. Samuel of Minden of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Betty Jean to the Reverend Waymon Hall Mott, of Winfield, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Henry J. Mott of West Monroe, Louisiana.

Miss Samuel is descended on the maternal side from Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Coffey of Minden on the paternal side from the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Samuel of Hope, Arkansas. The bride-to-be is a graduate of Minden High school and a junior at Louisiana College.

Reverend Mott's forebears are Mrs. Albert Brown of Pineville and the late Mr. Albert Brown of Pineville and the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mott of Pineville, La. He was graduated from Louisiana College and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary of Fort Worth, Texas. Rev. Mott is now serving as pastor of Laurel Heights Baptist church of Winfield.

Wedding Plans Made Known

The wedding will take place on the evening of Thursday, June 17, at eight o'clock in the First Baptist Church of Minden and the groom's father, Rev. Henry J. Mott of West Monroe, will officiate. The bride will have as her honor attendant her only sister, Mrs. John Maxey of Minden. Bridesmaids will include Miss Myrl Bjorklund of Shreveport; Miss Patsy Phillips of Jonesville; Miss Betty Ann Davis of Baton Rouge and Miss Rebecca Hearon of Minden; Miss Joy C. Brown and Miss Jane Almond both of Minden will light the candles and little Miss Barbara Samuel and

Miss Shirley Kay Samuel will be flower girls.

The Rev. Bill Holloway of Fort Worth, Texas will attend the bridegroom as best man. John McKethan of Lisbon, Jimmy Jamuel of Minden, and Alec Hopper and Rev. Eugene Langford of Fort Worth Texas will serve as ushers. Master Tommy McKethan of Lisbon and Jimmy Maxey of Minden will be ring bearers.

Miss Lois Arlene Corner Is Bride of Jim Robertson

The Oak Forest Baptist Church, Houston, Texas was the scene of the wedding of Miss Lois Arlene Corner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Corner, Huntsville, Texas and Jim Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Robertson Sr., Hope Arkansas. The double ring ceremony was performed at 7:00 p. m. Friday, May 21, 1934.

Mrs. Ted B. Clark was Matron of Honor and Clyde Robertson brother of the groom was best man. The candle light ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Richardson, before an altar decorated with lilies of the valley and white snapdragons. Candles were lit by Carolyn Corner, sister of the bride.

The bride wore a white linen dressmaker suit and carried a white bible topped with an orchid. The bride's mother chose beige linen dressmaker suit and wore a white carnation corsage. Mrs. Robertson, mother of the groom, wore a navy-lace dress and her corsage was of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Robertson at 1706 Libbey Drive. The bride's table was covered with a white imported cloth and held an arrangement of white carnations. A three tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom was served by Mrs. Oscar Greenberg sister of the groom. Punch was served by Mrs. Ted Clark.

The bride and groom left immediately for a trip to New Orleans and other points south. They will be at home in Houston after June 15, where they are both employed. Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Robertson Sr., of Hope and Mrs. Oscar Greenberg and Bobby of Hot Springs.

Coming and Going

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Franks had as weekend guest their son, Thomas Franks and family of Little Rock.

Mrs. Alice Kent of Houston, Texas, formerly of Hope is spending a few days with Mrs. Bess Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Dell has as their guests for a few days Mr. O'Dell's cousin, Mr. George Junk and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank Kerling of St. Paul, Kansas.

William Tamam of Galveston, Texas was the week end guest of Miss Betty Allwhite in Emmet.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Hazzard and Mr. and Mrs. James Hazzard of Shreveport returned Saturday night from a three weeks vacation trip to San Francisco, California where they visited their son and brother, Ensign Lawrence Hazzard.

Hope Garden Club members attending the annual convention of Arkansas Federation of Garden Clubs held at Henderson State Teachers College in Arkadelphia on May 28 and 29 were Mrs. Steve Carrigan, Jr. of the Gardenia Club, Mrs. Lahroy Spates and Mrs. A. W. Martin of the Iris, Mrs. Jud Martindale, Mrs. Crit Stuart, Jr., Mrs. Johnny Brannon, Mrs. Bill Tolleson, Mrs. Gordon Bayless, Mrs. Homer Jones and Mrs. Roger Dew of the Daffodil Club.

Hospital Notes

Julia Chester
Admitted: Mrs. Carl Richards Rt. 2 Hope, Mrs. Carol Yocum, Hope.
Discharged: Robert L. Todd, Rt. 4, Hope Vera Stony, Hope, Mrs. F. B. Perry, Hope.
Branch
Mr. V. A. Campbell, Hope, Mrs.

Arkansan Is Far From Mountain View

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD May 31 (AP)—I'm having the most fun of my life.

This was Dick Powell, enthusiastic and no wonder, he is maneuvering horses, camels and herds of Moai and Tartars in a four million dollar production, one of the biggest movies in Hollywood history.

The boy from Mountain View, Ark., has come a long way. Progressively a movie house emcee, film crooner and private eye poster, he has now blossomed out as a producer-director of epics.

Powell has never produced a picture before. He has directed only one, a medium-budget thriller called "Split Second." Yet Howard Hughes is sold on the fellow that he has given Powell the green light for what will probably be RKO's costliest movie.

Not only that, but the enigmatic Texas also wanted Powell to take over as production boss of the whole studio. The ex-crooner turned it down, contending that he wasn't ready for such a post.

When I saw Powell on the set of "The Conqueror," he was riding high. He was astride a camera boom many feet in the air, directing the entrance of horsemen into a palace courtyard.

His relationship with the cast and crew appeared to be one of mutual respect. Powell is aware that he is on a spot. He personally interviewed 2,000 actors for roles in the picture, asking questions from morning to night.

The casting office offered to relieve him of the load. But he said: "I don't want any other actor to say that I didn't give him the courtesy of seeing him personally about a role."

When Powell came down from his perch, he commented about what a good time he was having. "We've got a good story on paper," he said, "now all I have to do is get it on film."

He said that he had trouble finding the right locations for the film, which concerns the early years of Genghis Khan. "The story takes place in the Gobi Desert," he explained, "but it isn't the bare desert that most people think it is. Parts of it are quite green and there is much cattle raising."

"We asked the Air Force to go to a part of the United States which resembles the Gobi Desert. Through them we found a location in Southern Utah."

Powell's company will spend several weeks there and a vast area of sage brush has been cleared, according to the studio. Some 5,000 natives will be recruited to portray the Chinese mobs. Yes, our boy has come a long way since "42nd Street" and "Flirtation Walk."

First Non-Stop Airline Flight

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—United Air Lines inaugurates tomorrow the first nonstop air line service in history between San Francisco and New York.

A giant DC-7 will leave San Francisco airport at 3 a. m. PPT, arriving in New York 7½ hours

ing thousands of residents of the ad, which said Scott had worked for non-segregation.

SPECIALITIES

Be sure to see this review, "Bows, Ruffles and Jewels," at the City Hall Auditorium, June 5 at 8:30. Admission 25 and 50c. Compare extra talent.

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Pension Hike to Veterans Not Likely

By FRANK ELEAZER

WASHINGTON (UP)—A projected \$231,725,000 annual increase in veterans' pension compensation payments today appeared likely to get lost in congressional adjournment.

The increase, which would hit all but a handful of the 872 ex-servicemen on Veterans Administration rolls March 31, their dependents' was thrice approved by the House Veterans Committee last week.

But government economy time appear to stand in the way of full congressional approval. Committee members predicted it would be overwhelmingly passed by the House, provided it could clear the powerful rules committee and there were indications it may not surmount this hurdle at least not soon.

The rules group usually acts in the House leadership which is committed to an economy drive that would be jarred considerably by the proposed increase in veteran spending.

House leaders weren't saying much about the bill's prospects, but it was clear, however, they have made Vets' pension committee chairman, Edith Nourse Rogers (Mass.) any promise about moving the bill along to passage.

Rules Committee Chairman E. Allen (R-M) said the committee undoubtedly would want to hold hearings on the bill, but no hearings have been scheduled. The other measures could corner the first.

American moose are somewhat smaller than Alaskan moose, but just as belligerent.

later. The fight will cut the bill off of present schedules.

Aboard the inaugural flight will be Korean war hero Maj. Gen. William E. Dean and a group of business executives.

United has bought a fleet of DC-7's at a cost of \$58,000,000.

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Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce that the following are candidates for public office subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections.

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For Treasurer
HARRY HAWTHORN
CLIFFORD BYERS
DWIGHT RIDGILL

For County Clerk
ARNOLD J. MIDDLEBROOKS
JOLLY (AMONETTE) BYERS
ARTHUR ANDERSON

For Sheriff and Collector
W. B. (BILL) RUGGLES
JIMMY COOK
R. D. (SON) PHILLIPS
TOM MIDDLEBROOKS
CLAUDE H. SUTTON
SYVELLE BURKE

Alderman Ward Three
B. L. RETTIG
A. P. DELONEY

For Prosecuting Attorney
ROYCE WEISENBERGER
PRESTON DOWD
TRAVIS MATTHEW
VAN JOHNSON

Alderman Ward Four
JESSE L. BROWN
CHARLES TAYLOR
HOMER BEYERLEY

Alderman Ward Two
JOHN S. GREENE
FOREST E. HAIR
T. O. (TOP) PORTER

Alderman Ward One
MRS. KATHRYN LOU FRANKS
JOE JONES

For State Senate
7th District
GENE LEE

For City Attorney
C. V. NUNN, JR.

The Negro Community

By Helen Turner
Or bring items to Miss Turner
at Hicks Funeral Home

The Evangelist Spiritual singers of Hot Springs will give a musical program at Harmony CME Church Sunday, June 13, at 2:30 p. m. sponsored by Miss Martha Faye Walker.

Senior choir of BeeBee Memorial CME Church will rehearse Thursday night, June 3, at 7:30 p. m.

Senior and junior choirs of Garrett Chapel Baptist Church Tuesday night, June 1, at 7:30 p. m.

The senior choir of Lonohe Baptist Church will rehearse Tuesday night, June 1, at 7:30 p. m.

Choir No. 2 of Bethel AME Church will rehearse Tuesday night June 1st at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Josie Frierson has as house guests her son Thowell Frierson and nephew, Arthur Clifford Frierson of Chicago, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ruffin Holston of San Pedro, Calif., are visiting Misses Sallie and Mary Hall, and Mrs. Vera Lee Story.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Story left Thursday for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will visit relatives and friends. They were accompanied by their son, Sgt. Elijah Story and daughter, Mrs. Janie Turner of Magnolia and Frank Jones.

The senior usher board of Lonohe Baptist Church will meet Monday night May 31 at 7:00 p. m. All members are urged to be present and on time.

Annual Bread Contest and Handicraft Exhibit Held

The Hempstead County Annual Bread Contest and Handicraft Exhibit was held Saturday, May 23, at Bethel A. M. E. Church, Hope, Arkansas beginning at 10 o'clock A. M. with Mrs. Arletta Scott, County Council President, presiding. After the roll call of clubs our agent, Mrs. Fairilla S. Smith, gave us information concerning the meeting today and the meaning of the 4-H Emblem was reviewed by Miss Ruth B. McFadden 4-H Council President. A musical number was presented by Mrs. Irene May, Clow H. D. Club, Mrs. Julia Woods, Sheppard H. D. C., and Mrs. Arletta Scott, Douglas H. D. C. This was very much enjoyed by all. H. D. and 4-H members are to be complimented on the excellent display of products - breads and handicraft articles - for the occasion.

While the products were being judged, the county council conducted its regular monthly business session. Special rice dishes were fixed and brought to the council as follows: Spanish Rice - Mrs. Pearl Cheatham, Mrs. Hill; Rice and Chicken Jambalaya (Loaf) - Mrs. Lawrence Evans, New Hope; Chicken Rice Soup - Mrs. Yerdie Walker, McCaskill; Rice Pudding - Mrs. Leatha Lawson, New Hope. These dishes were served to the 4-H and H. D. members and visitors and they all commented very favorably about them. Assignments were

33 Drivers Fear Rain in Speed Classic

By DALE BURGESS
INDIANAPOLIS (AP) Thirty-three veteran auto racers worried more about the possibility of rain today during the 38th annual 500-mile race than about their occupational hazard, death.

Even a sprinkle could bring out the yellow caution flag that prevents a driver from improving his position and ruin the chances of cars back of the leaders.

It's a race if it goes 25 1/2 miles.

Some of the hottest drivers in the field were spotted far back for the start, due to mechanical troubles that kept them from qualifying on the first day of the time trials.

They had about four hours to advance in the race and figured they'd need all of it with Jack McGrath starting first.

THREE STRIKEOUTS
BOSTON (AP) Red Sox slugger Ted Williams, batting just under .400, has strike out only three times this season. All three strikeouts have been by New York Yankee pitchers.

made for rice cookery during our Experiment Station visiting Day, June 28.

Other rice dishes to be presented later are: Rice Cakes for Breakfast - Mrs. Cleo Johnson, Antioch and Rice Gumbo - Mrs. Rhoda Jones, McCaskill.

The results of the Bread Contest and Handicraft Exhibit were as follows and ribbons were awarded by the H. D. Council on the basis of the following rating:

Handicraft (4-H Division)
Textile Painting
Apron - Bertha Mae Smith, Churchill, "B" rating, Dish Towel - Bertha Mae Smith, Churchill, "C" rating, Scarf - Bertha Mae Smith, Churchill, "B" rating.

(H. D. Division)
Pillow Cases - Mrs. Julia Woods, Sheppard, "A" rating; Mrs. Gertrude Nash, Sheppard, "B" rating; and Mrs. Martin Armstrong, New Hope, "C" rating.

Guest Towels - Mrs. Eula M. Smith, Churchill, "B" rating; Mrs. Julia Woods, Sheppard, "C" rating; and Mrs. Pearlina Cheatham, Mrs. Hill, "C" rating.

Crochet Dollies - Mrs. Julia Wood Sheppard, "A" rating; Mrs. Janie Trotter, Friendship, "A" rating; Mrs. Gertrude Nash, Sheppard, "B" rating; and Mrs. Janie Trotter, "C" rating.

Corkcraft (Ties or Belts) - Mrs. Verdie Walker, McCaskill, "A" rating; Mrs. Leatha Lawson, New Hope, "B" rating; and Mrs. Eula Mae Smith, Churchill, "C" rating.

Earrings - Mrs. Leatha Lawson, New Hope, "A" rating.

Electric Oil Lamp - Mrs. Amanda L. Johnson, Southeast H. D. Club, "A" rating.

Wood Craft - Original Lamp and Flower Container - Mrs. Janie Trotter, Churchill, "A" rating.

Miscellaneous - Gift Box from Greeting - Mrs. Janie Trotter, Churchill, "C" rating.

Pot Lifters - Mrs. Anna Trollovs, Antioch, "B" rating.

Hot Pads - Mrs. Amanda L. Johnson, "C" rating.

Breads (4-H Division) - Corn Meal Muffins - Etha Louise Brown, Mt. Pleasant, "A" rating; Dorothy Lee Johnson, Antioch, "B" rating; Mary Lee Trotter, Churchill, "C" rating.

Baking Powder Biscuits - Epa Muriel Caple, Blevins, "A" rating; Le Johnson, Antioch, "C" rating.

Plain Muffins - Mary Jean Trotter, Churchill, "B" rating.

Clover Leaf Rolls - Ruth Bell McFadden, Powers, "A" rating.

Sugar Cookie - Rosie Ellen Gollston, Washington, "B" rating; Mary Jean Trotter, Churchill, "A" rating.

Layer Cake - Ruth Bell McFadden, Powers, "A" rating.

(H. D. Division)
Pillow Cases - Mrs. Pearlina Cheatham, Mrs. Hill, "A" rating; Mrs. Gertrude Nash, Sheppard, "A" rating; Arletta Scott, Douglas, "C" rating.

Cloves - Mrs. Julia Woods, Sheppard, "A" rating; Mrs. Alcola Wade, Iron Springs, "A" rating; Mrs. Pearlina Cheatham, Mrs. Hill, "C" rating.

Two-In-One Twists - Mrs. Julia Woods, Sheppard, "A" rating; Mrs. Alcola Wade, Iron Springs, "A" rating; Mrs. Pearlina Cheatham, Mrs. Hill, "C" rating.

Loaf Bread - Mrs. Mae Bell Muldrow, Churchill, "B" rating; Mrs. Amanda Jackson, Sheppard, "A" rating.

Pie Crust - Mrs. Sallie Johnson, Powers, "A" rating.



CRIME AND PUNISHMENT—Convicted of being a bearded, foreign "subversive," Sen. Estes Kefauver, of Tennessee, is placed in a stockade by a bearded native of Topeka, Kan. Beards were the order of the day for Topeka's centennial celebration. He spent five minutes in the stockade for his "crime" before he purchased his pardon by buying a \$5 centennial sponsor button.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By GAYLE TALBOT

NEW YORK (AP) — The most refreshing statement of the current baseball season is that attributed to Umpire Larry Goetz of the National League after a mix-up between his fellow arbiters on a decision in a game between Chicago and St. Louis. The forthright Goetz said it was "fussy umpiring," and expressed his regrets.

The average fan, we suggest, would be much more inclined to respect and even like umpires if the hiring in blue were permitted to express themselves. We predict, further, that the first of them who calls the press after a game that "I blew a couple today, boys," will become famous. Goetz is just the one who might do it, too.

Any of the contending clubs which hope to sneak some "Pendant insurance" out of the opposite league, a maneuver made somewhat notorious by the Yankees in recent seasons, will have to act soon. The new "Greenberg Rule," named for its sponsor, General Manager Hank Greenberg of the Cleveland Indians, will put a crimp in such activities after it goes into effect June 15.

From that point on it will not be enough to get a player waived out of his own league in order to sell him to a contending club in the other league as was done for recent example, when the St. Louis Cardinals bought Vic Raschi from the Yankees this spring. Under the new law such a "castoff" from the American League would have to be turned down by all the clubs in the National in ascending order, beginning with the last place Pittsburgh Pirates, before he could be dealt to the Cars.

And, speaking of the Yankees, there is additional evidence that their rivals in the American League, while not necessarily engaging in a "stop the Yanks" campaign, are not consciously doing anything to help the five-time world champions, either.

The recent deal in which the Boston Red Sox sent third baseman George Kell to the sizzling Chicago White Sox actually was agreed upon some

By Chick Young



By J. R. William



With Major People



By Heather



rap again!"



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By Michael O'Malley and Ralph



By Leslie T. Rutledge



By Edgar M.



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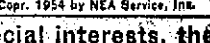
By V. T. H.



By Carl A. Anderson

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By Dick Turner



“Just to prove he's not in the pay of special interests, the

money off me!"



Waterfield to Hand as Producer

WOODWARD — His friends say that the least likely person to be a movie producer is Waterfield, the pro football player who is telling daily in an effort to make the Hollywood studio making money to film a big picture. The office is done in modern style with black and brown decor. "I like the place?" "If I didn't, there's nothing about it," he said. "The decorator you see is the dark-eyed babe named Jane. She is also his partner in the Field Production as well as the company's principal and obvious asset."

Waterfield got the idea that she should be in the show. At the office as in home her lord and master is Waterfield, the soft-talking, but telling, quarterback who first came to UCLA and then for the Los Angeles Rams. He has been here for 11 years now and is a main reason why their place has survived the sorrows of life in Hollywood. "I'd go complete," Waterfield goes. "The gift of gal is not in the brief but in the conversation. I asked him how he tackled the job."

Unification Still Presbyterians Problem

MONTECAT, N. C. — Unification was the problem facing the General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church today. The issue came in the still continuing aftermath of Saturday's session at which the church strongly urged that its doors be opened to all regardless of color.

While the assembly's de-segregation motion was believed by some commissioners to have the effect of ordering other commissioners to order other churches to decide whether to follow the motion.

CUT BY BARBED WIRE

MONIA, Mich. — Frederick J. ... was cut so badly by barbed wire in a freak accident yesterday that doctors worked 3 1/2 hours to save his gashes.

The youth was helping a barbed wire fence on a nearby farm when the wire snapped. He tried to catch it and was cut and gouged on his hands and wrists.

144 stitches were necessary to close the wounds.

STREET ROD

By HENRY GREGOR FELSSEN

The Story: Because teen agers will have hot rods and reckless driving leads to wrecks, Ricky Madison's father suggests something that may help solve the problem. That is a "drag strip" and an organization of hot rod drivers to promote safety.

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The petition had been signed by 18 boys, 12 of whom owned their cars. Sharon had typed it, and Ricky, as founder and first president of the Delville Timing Association, had been chosen to present it to the city council.

Shortly before the council was scheduled to meet, all the members of the DTA gathered in the Delville Drug, some with their girl friends. The place was jammed with non-purchasing patrons.

The petition was in a brown manila folder, and lay on the counter of the soda fountain. Ricky stood near it, and Sharon stood next to him. There was a loud hum of excited conversation, laughs, yells and loud shop talk. Big things were happening in old Delville.

Sharon looked at her wrist watch. "You'd better get started in a minute or two."

Ricky looked around for something he could use to bang for attention. Right next to him, obliviously to the noise, Sherm was deep in another comic.

"Hi, Sharon," Ricky said. "I need something to use for a gavel. Let me have your head, will you?"

Sherm reached in his pants pocket and pulled out some change. He held his hand out to Ricky without looking up from his book. "How much do you need?"

"Ricky whooped and slapped him on the shoulder.

There, being nothing to pound with, Ricky got up on one of the stools and cupped his hands over his mouth. "Hey! Shut up!"

The noise lessened to a normal hum. Ricky leaned down and picked up the petition. "Has everybody read the petition?"

"Yes!"

"Remember, you guys," he shouted at the crowd; "you gotta stick to what you signed. No chopping corners on our part. Understand?"

"Yo!"

"Now do all members have their membership cards. The ones we mimeographed."

"Yo . . . Yo . . ."

"Now all you guys with cards . . . have you all paid your dues?"

There was a loud mass groan.

"If you haven't paid, Sharon will take your dues."

The council was already seated at its table. Mayor Travis, a red-faced retired coal dealer, sat at its head. Buell Jones, the city clerk, sat to his left, busily writing.

Two council members, Gus Vorkle and Charles Trumm, sat to Ricky's left as he faced the table. The other two, George Reynow and Ricky's father, sat to his right.

Something like two hours and 35 minutes after the council began its meeting, it was ready to hear the petition. Ricky was half asleep, his throat parched, his head splitting when the big moment came.

The mayor tapped with his gavel. "I believe you had a petition, young man."

Ricky stood up, his legs numb. "Yes, sir. I have a petition that I would like to read at this time."

Ricky's voice sounded dead and flat, just as had the others. By now there were no more than half a dozen members of the DTA in the room. Annie Van Zunk had come in, and was sitting to one side, soaked with sweat and dozing, his hands folded over his stomach.

"If you will just file the petition with the city clerk," the mayor said, "it will be read and considered by this council in due time. I am sure Now if there is

no further business . . ."

"Mr. Mayor," it was Ricky's father, his voice crisp. "It was understood that the council would hear the petition tonight. This petition is no surprise to us, and these young people have waited patiently for their turn to bring their business before this council. I believe we owe them the right to listen to what they have to say."

"What's the council think about it?" the mayor grunted.

"Let him read it," Trumm said, yawning. "Get it over with."

"All right, boy," the mayor said. "Get on with it."

Ricky cleared his throat. "This petition is being made in the name of the Delville Timing Association. It is signed by 18 members."

Ricky looked at the council. The mayor was sitting back in his chair, breathing through his mouth. Vorkle was doodling on a pad in front of him. Trumm's head was back and a cigaret dangled from his lips. Reynow sat slumped in his chair, a look of tired suffering on his face. Only Ricky's father looked interested. He smiled at Ricky, and nodded for him to begin reading.

Ricky wheezed through the petition and then carried it to Buell Jones. Sharon gave him a quick smile of praise as he returned to his seat, but he was too tired to smile back. He was so tired that what he had read didn't make sense even to him.

Mayor Travis roused himself and blinked at the council. "You heard the petition. What is your pleasure?"

Gus Vorkle put down his pencil. "I heard it. What I want to know is what it's all about. I couldn't make head or tail out of all that mumbo-jumbo."

"What's this about the Cosgrove road being used as a race track?" Charles Trumm demanded.

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Ricky stood up. "We've got this timing association we just formed, and we need a place to run our drag races. The idea is, if the city lets us have a place for the races, we'd pledge not to race or break any laws on the highway. And our members have to have their cars inspected for safety, and abide by . . ."

"Just a minute, young fellow," George Reynow interrupted. "What you were saying, you want the city to turn one of its roads over to you for a race track. If we don't, you'll race on all the highways. Sort of a blackmail proposition, I'd say."

"And it's about time you young fellows got it through your heads to obey the laws," the mayor added. "You don't come up here and tell us which laws you'll obey and which you won't. I guess not."

"You're not being fair!" Ricky's father shouted, his sharp face taut and angry. "I explained this proposition to all of you, and you all seemed to agree with it."

"You're prejudiced because you've got a boy here speaking his piece," Gus Vorkle said. "The more I think this over, the more I'm against it. The idea of the city providing a race track! What we want to do is get rid of this hot rod driving, no encourage it. If we give 'em a track, it will look like we're telling them to build hot cars. We'll have every crazy souped-up jalopy in the state coming down here to race. I don't see it."

"But you don't understand!" Ricky cried. "If it's supervised . . . if we have a place, we won't want to use the highways . . . It's for safety . . ."

"Boy, you're the one who doesn't understand," the Mayor said. "It's about time you and all the others like you understood that we're sick and tired of these hot rods. If something isn't done we'll see that the legislature raises the driving age. Then where'll you be?"

George Reynow pursed his mouth into a prim, tight circle. "Seems

Arkansas Revenue to Be Lower

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Arkansas' general revenues apparently are going to be lower for the 1953-1954 fiscal year than had been anticipated.

During the first 11 months, general revenues totaled \$54,200,834, compared to the \$54,462,701 received in the corresponding period of the previous fiscal year.

The 1953 Legislature and state financial experts had anticipated that the general revenues would be slightly larger this fiscal year.

General revenues are those distributed for general state purposes under the Revenue Stabilization Act and are considered a better indication of the state's tax economy than are special taxes.

General revenue collections during May amounted to \$9,438,327, a decrease of about \$82,000 from collections in May, 1953. Liquor and income tax collections dropped slightly during the month but sales tax collections increased slightly.

Total collections, both general and special amounted to \$94,188,808 for the first 11 months of this fiscal year. During the corresponding period in the last fiscal year, total collections were \$97,808,006.

Violent Death Toll Climbs

By The Associated Press

Two holiday drownings yesterday brought to seven the total number of persons to die violently in Arkansas during the past week.

L. T. Shields, 17, of Redline (Desha County), and Evesta Simpkins, 14, of near Gould, both Negro boys, drowned in Wells Bayou near Dumas yesterday.

Dumas Police Chief Dayton Allison said the two boys drowned after Simpkins got into trouble in about eight feet of water and grasped Shields.

Their bodies were recovered by State Police Sgt. Buck Halsell and Desha County Deputy Earl May.

Besides the drownings, there were two suicides, one farm death and an industrial fatality during the week.

to me the young people of this town don't appreciate anything wholesome. Delville opened a recreation center where these young folks could get off the streets, but they never went near it. My wife used to supervise there. Said the only thing these boys wanted to do was annoy the girls. Now they're asking us to provide them with a race track. I think a curfew would do them more good."

Ricky's father was about to renew his argument for the boys when he noticed Ricky moving toward the council table, a stubborn, fighting look on his flushed face. Madison waited to hear what his son had to say, proud of the way Ricky was fighting for his idea.

"Mr. Mayor," Ricky said, "I don't think I made myself very clear. Maybe it's my fault. We're not asking for a race track, and we're not trying to blackmail the city either. We're trying to help solve a problem."

He supposed they were listening. The y didn't interrupt.

"We also know that teen-ager drivers have a lot of accidents," he said. "That's why we want what we formed the Delville Timing Association. It's to promote safe driving in safe cars. And it's also to give us a chance to experiment with cars and engines and learn something."

That's why we want what we call a drag strip. To give us a chance to work on our cars, and have competitions, and make it worth while for everybody to drive safely. A drag race is an acceleration race. It tests cars. They've done it in other places without results, and we'd like to do it here. Otherwise we know there'll be drags in the streets and on the highway."

Gus Vorkle shook his head. "That's just a new way of saying what you said before. You want the city to give you a race track and encourage hot-rod driving."

"The recreation center was fine for the little kids," Ricky said. "But we're too big to sit around and play checkers."

Mayor Travis banged his gravel on the table. "It won't do any good to sass the council, son."

"I'm not sassing," Ricky said, around helplessly and saw Arnie. "Arnie," Ricky said. "What do you think about our idea?"

Arnie had been all for the idea but now that the council had turned against it, he had to be careful. A couple of them thought he was too old and fat and lazy to be a policeman anyway.

"Who knows?" Arnie said. "Could be a good idea. Worth a try, maybe."

"You told me the other day it would make your job easier," Ricky said.

Charles Trumm snorted. "Part of our trouble in this town is a policeman who's looking for ways to make his job easy."

Arnie regarded Trumm mildly with his blue eyes. "You try taking that tired prowl car and running down a full-race Merc," Arnie said.

The Mayor tapped with his gavel. "You have heard the petition. All in favor of the race track say aye."

"Aye!" Ricky's father spat the word out angrily.

"Opposed signify by the usual sign."

The other councilmen granted their negative vote.

"Nays have it. Motion is defeated. If there is no further business before the council, we stand adjourned." The gavel tapped. The meeting was over.

(To Be Continued)



OLD-TIMER — William "Uncle" Adams, a former slave who fled from the south in 1863, smokes a cigaret as he celebrates his 108th birthday in a Lancaster, Pa., hospital.

Born 20 years before slavery's abolition, "Uncle Bill" lived to see another historic decision affecting the Negro—the Supreme Court's ruling that racial segregation in public schools was unconstitutional.

He now keeps hospital workers fascinated with his extensive knowledge of the Holy Bible.

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VISITOR — Haile Selassie I, Emperor of Ethiopia, pays a visit to the U. S. and President Eisenhower starting May 25. The African monarch will visit New York, Washington, D. C., and other cities of the nation.

Tax-Exempt Foundations Under Probe

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON (AP) — The present investigation of tax-exempt foundations is only the third of its kind in American history, but investigations of foundations were made before Christ and foundations themselves existed long before that.

A Senate committee investigated in 1912. So did a special House committee, headed by the late Rep. Eugene Cox (D-Ga.), in 1952. Under the chairmanship of Rep. B. Carroll Reece (R-Tenn.) a special House committee is making an investigation now. Reece says the purpose is to see whether the foundations are carrying out their stated purposes or whether there is use of their money to promote communism or socialism.

Foundations and their purposes have varied. They get their money through rich men or their heirs or through contributions, and hand it out for special projects: Humanitarian, social, civil, religious, medical, scientific, educational, charitable.

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1200 years before Christ. "These," he said, "are the earliest known efforts at projecting private will beyond life for general purposes."

In Greece there was long an uncertainty under law about setting up foundations as such. So Plato in 347 B. C. left his academy to his nephew, together with some revenue-producing land, with instructions they used for the benefit of his followers. In turn the nephew left the foundation to Xenocrats for the benefit of the cult.

The Romans made foundations indisputably legal but by 65 B.C. they had grown so powerful, and had gotten so deep in politics, that Cicero, who thought they were working against him, got the Senate to dissolve them.

Cicero divided the foundations into "good" and "bad." The "bad" ones were put out of business. The ones he liked were allowed to go on.

The foundations have a continuing history. In the medieval period they were exiles, and they owned between a third and a half of the wealth of Great Britain. Finally, Henry VIII confiscated the wealth of all the foundations in Britain for use of the crown.

In 1837 a royal commission was established to investigate foundations. The job took 17 years. The Cox investigation took six months. The Reece investigation, unless Congress approves its continuance, ends by Dec. 31.

Deaths Over the Nation

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Anne O'Hare McCormick, 72, Pulitzer prize-winning foreign news writer for the New York Times, advisor to the

SANTA BARRERA, Calif. — Robert H. Ripley, 40, Western farm club director for the Brooklyn baseball club, one-time manager of a San Diego professional football team. Born in Riverside, Ill. Died Saturday.

BOSTON — Dr. Frank P. Speare, 65, founder and first president of Northeastern University. Died Saturday.

With regard to the law which states that a candidate must file his Corrupt Practice Pledge in the County Clerk's Office ninety days prior to an election, I wish to make this statement:

Upon finding that there was not filed in the Hempstead County Clerk's Office the Corrupt Practice Pledge of Mr. Clifford Byers, who is an opponent of mine for the office of County Treasurer, I immediately went to Mr. Byers telling him that there would be no objection from me as to his eligibility as a qualified candidate, and that I hoped he would be allowed to continue as a candidate for the County Treasurer's Office in the coming Democratic Primary Election.

HARRY HAWTHORNE

— Paid Pol. Adv.

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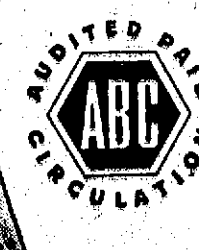
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It is very unfortunate that some of the candidates did not sign a corrupt practice pledge. I am aware of the fact that this is a thing easy to overlook and because it was overlooked by two of my opponents I take this means of letting them and the public know that I am truly sorry and I wish to state that I am willing for them to continue their campaign to the end and there will be no protest on my part.

Claud H. Sutton

— Paid Pol. Adv.